

Claims 1 and 2 are canceled.

3(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11 2, in which the cross-member is guided over a center of the showering area spaced from the wall of the room.

4(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11 4, in which the two legs lie in a ~~the~~ same ~~said~~ plane.

5(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11 4, in which the two legs lie in parallel planes.

6(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11, 4 in which the arced ~~entire said~~ hollow section lies in a plane.

7(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11, 4 in which the cross-member bends out of a ~~the~~ plane of at least one of said legs.

8(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11 4, in which both said legs are straight.

9(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 11 4, further comprising a nozzle coupled to at least one of ~~in which both said legs are provided with nozzles~~ directing water from said fitting housing into the showering area.

10(currently amended). The shower arrangement according to claim 9 4, wherein the arced hollow section provides a water line ~~coupling between the first and~~

~~second leg,~~ carrying water from the fitting housing to ~~the~~ at least one nozzle coupled to the second of the legs.

11(new). A shower arrangement, comprising:

a shower room having at least one wall bordering a showering area, and a supply of water at said wall,

a fitting housing coupled to the supply of water at the wall, wherein said fitting housing controls the supply of water to the shower arrangement,

a first pipe leg permanently affixed with respect to the wall and extending upwardly parallel to a plane of the wall, wherein the first pipe leg is coupled to said fitting housing so as to carry water from the fitting housing to the shower arrangement,

a second pipe leg spaced from the first pipe leg and extending upwardly,

a cross-member that connects top ends of the first and second pipe legs, the first and second pipe legs with the cross member forming an arced hollow section extending for a distance around the showering area, wherein the cross-member couples to the fitting housing through the first pipe leg, and

wherein at least one nozzle is coupled to the arced hollow section and directs water from the fitting housing into the showering area.

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